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THE MORNING NEWS

WASHINGTON.

A Contested Case in Congress.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—What promises to be a stubborn fight between the two political parties in the House was begun yesterday. There are several contested election cases pending, involving seats of Representatives from Southern states, the contestants in these cases being Republicans. Yesterday an attempt was made to get up for consideration the case of Mackay against O'Connor, but the Democrats refused to vote and thus left the House without a quorum. O'Connor, who was given the certificate of election, died before Congress assembled, and an election was thus held to fill the vacancy, in which the Republicans declined to participate, and Mr. Dibble, who was the Democratic candidate, was given the certificate by the Governor and now holds the seat. The Republicans, on the other hand, are determined to obtain a vote on the case, and will insist on having it considered.

Guiteau's Counsel.

Mr. Reed declined tonight to divulge the plan of action which he will adopt after the rendering of the decision of the court in banc in the Guiteau case tomorrow, but he said he had a plan which he would put in execution, if the decision is adverse to his client, to save the country the everlasting disgrace of hanging an insane man. Several members of the legal profession said tonight they thought Mr. Reed would in all probability apply for a *commission de lunatico inquirendo.*

Senator Hill's Condition.

Late mail advices in regard to the health of Senator Hill report him still confined to his room in Eureka Springs, Arkansas, and most of the time to his bed. His friends in this city have but little hope of his recovery.

FOREIGN.

The Parnell-Gladstone Program.

LONDON, May 21.—The Parnell-Gladstone program, regarding the passage of new Irish measures, is now complete. The Land League members have been informed that the progress of the repression of crime bill will determine the action of the government regarding the arrears act. If they obstruct the first the government will delay the second. Mr. Gladstone's anxiety to get the crime bill through in some form is explained by his vast loss of ministerial popularity with the masses since the Dublin murders, and the hope of recovery by this method; hence the great concession to Parnell's followers to induce them to avoid obstruction that would surely destroy Mr. Gladstone's government.

New Police Arrangements.

DUBLIN, May 21.—Col. Brackenbury has been appointed director of the new Criminal Investigation Department. Magistrates and police commissioners will report to him all cases of crime. The new force is composed of a very superior class of men. Everything will be done to screen their avocations.

Affairs in Egypt.

LONDON, May 21.—A despatch from Cairo says: The Ministry are making strenuous efforts to obtain the support of the notables in inaugurating a policy of resistance. The Admiral of the English and French squadrons have no orders whatever, except to protect Europeans, which they will be utterly unable to do in the event of resistance, as it would be easy to destroy the shipping from land and ruin the city before the allied fleet could silence a single fort.

Notes.

A riot has occurred at Limerick, Ireland, between the police and the people. The police charged with fixed bayonets, and several persons were injured.

Seventeen houses have been burned at Middleton, county Cork, Ireland, and seventy persons made homeless.

LONDON, May 21.—A despatch to the News from St. Petersburg reports there has been a great fire in the Jewish quarter of Kovno.

A vessel which has arrived at Queenstown reports having picked up a boat marked "City of Limerick."

At the close of the ninth day of the international chess tournament, at Vienna, Blackburn, Mackenzie and Winower led with seven games each. Mason had won 5½ games, Steintz 4½, and Ware, of Boston, 3.

The United States steamers Lancaster, Galena, Quinnebaug, and Nipsic arrived at Tangier, on the 19th inst., and were to sail for other Moorish ports Sunday. No political importance is attached to their visit.

A curious adventure recently befell a wedding party in the Bois de Boulogne, Paris, the orthodox resort of nine weddings out of ten. The bride and bridegroom, giving their friends the slip, had strayed down a shady path, when they suddenly came upon the corpse of a gendarme, suspended from a neighboring tree. The bride fainted in the ready arms of her swain, whose cries soon drew the rest of the party to the unlucky spot. To cut down the gendarme was the work of a moment, but on examination it was ascertained that life had been extinct some hours. On further investigation a letter was found in the dead man's pocket, announcing that having got into a scrape he had determined to kill himself rather than incur the disgrace of dismissal from the corps to which he belonged.—[N. Y. Post.

Condensed Telegrams.

A fire at Elkton, Ky., Saturday morning, destroyed business houses and stock to the value of $21,200.

The New York police Sunday arrested a notorious English pickpocket named Woods, and on his person were found the $11,000 in notes, drafts and interest coupons recently stolen from the pocket of the messenger of the Mechanics National Bank, of that city.

Reports have been received which indicate unusually cold weather for the season, West and Northwest. There were slight flurries of snow at Fargo's Falls, Morehead and Winnipeg. Heavy snow is reported at the west end of Hastings and Dakota, but the report is not confirmed nor fully credited.

Intelligence has been received from Mountain Township, Pike county, to the effect that Wm. Shields, a prominent planter, and two children, were killed, and his wife fatally wounded in a tornado on the 10th inst. Sixteen dwellings were blown down and the crops badly damaged. The loss to the county will amount to many thousand dollars.

Four attempts were made Saturday night to destroy the office of the Louisville Daily World. Two of the fires were extinguished without an alarm, and for the others the fire department was called out. The paper will not be published today, and some one with a grievance took advantage of the absence of the force to get even. The loss so far is trifling.

About 200 men were discharged Saturday from the wholesale department of A. T. Stewart & Co. From the present outlook, the wholesale department will be closed up by July 1.

Another case of small-pox was discovered on Allen street, Lawrence, Mass., Sunday. There are now four patients at the pest house, one of whom, Clerk Towry, of the board of health, will be discharged tomorrow.

PERSONALS.

.....Oscar Wilde is in Montreal. He will return to New York June 1.

.....Minister Hunt's departure for St. Petersburg is delayed by his ill health.

.....Judge Lord, of Massachusetts, is better, and is expected to leave the sick room at an early day.

.....Ex-Vice President Wheeler offers $10,000 toward a new Congregational Church in Malone, N. Y.

.....Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll has accepted an invitation to deliver an oration in the Academy of Music, New York, on Decoration Day.

.....M. Damala Bernhardt has formally made known that he will personally chastise, on his return, whoever may have spoken lightly of his bride.

.....President Porter, of Yale College, was tipped out of his canoe on Lake Whitney, New Haven, Conn., last week, but escaped with a thorough wetting.

.....The Philadelphia Press says:—There is the best authority for the report that Miss Clara Louise Kellogg has broken her engagement with Mr. T. B. Whitney.

.....The New York truckman who brutally assaulted Mr. Henry Bergh because the latter interfered to prevent the abuse of a horse has been sentenced to pay a fine of $250 and spend a year in the penitentiary.

.....Rev. George C. Miln, late pastor of the Church of the Unity, Chicago, has gone so far toward carrying out his intention to go upon the stage as to appear before a company of friends in that city in the character of Hamlet, clad in regular stage costume.

.....Rev. Newman Smyth has declined the invitation of the trustees to deliver a course of lectures at Andover next year, but there is reason to believe that another position in connection with the institution which has been offered him will be accepted at no very distant day.

.....Collector Worthington's bond for $100,000 (each bondsman qualifying in the full amount) has been received at Washington. His bondsmen are ex-Governor Thomas Talbot, Frank M. Ames, of the Ames Shovel Company; J. P. Spaulding, of Nash, Spaulding & Co.; Francis B. Hayes, and W. A. Tower, of Tower, Giddings & Co. The five names represent, it is said, $12,000,000.

ECLIPSES.

Professor John K. Rees, of Columbia College, after speaking to a class of students of the total eclipse so successfully observed in Asia Wednesday, continued:—

"On November 11 next will occur an annular eclipse of the sun, visible only in the Pacific ocean, and on December 6 will be the transit of Venus. A total eclipse at any given place is a rarity. The last total eclipse visible at Paris was that of May 22, 1724, and the next one will take place in the year 2026. At London the last eclipse was in 1715, and the next will be in 2090. In December, 1870, there was a total eclipse central in Algeria; there was one in 1878; there will be one in August, 1887, central in Russia and Austria, another in 1896, central in Germany, and another in 1900, central in Spain. The eclipses of the sun and moon occur in a regular cycle of 18 years and 11 days. And so today's eclipse is the same as the eclipse of May 5, 1861, and will repeat itself on May 28, 1900. Only these eclipses do not repeat themselves at the same hours or places, nor are they visible in the same countries. Eclipses are even in this day, often attended with odd effects upon ignorant beholders. In the total eclipse of 1878, visible in this country, a negro, seized with terror, thought the end of the world had come and cut the throats of his wife, children and himself. In the eclipse of March, 1877, the Turks, who, like the Chinese, believe that an invisible dragon is trying to swallow the sun, got out their guns and kept up an incessant fusilade to frighten the beast off. In the eclipse of 1868 the natives of Hindustan employed by M. Janssen plunged into the river when the eclipse began and refused to leave the water until it was ended in obedience to some superstition."

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LITERARY NOTES.

The most popular of Lord Beaconsfield's novels in England is Vivian Grey.

A large new edition of George W. Cooke's biography of Emerson has just been printed, to meet the demand which has arisen on all sides.

The June Wide Awake will contain the $600 prize frontispiece, "A-Maying," drawn by Lungren and engraved by Closson. The number will also contain an illustrated article upon the Zuni Indians and Pueblo life.

Mrs. Mary Hallock Foote, the artist and writer, is entering upon a new field of literary work. Her "Story of the Alcazar," in the June Century, is a striking story of sea-faring life, told in the Yankee dialect, and drawing its tragic element from the days of the slave trade.

D. Lothrop & Co. are preparing the second volume of the "Family Flight," the young folks' series of travel, by E. E. and Susan Hale. It is called "Over Egypt and Syria." Miss Hale has gone to Europe to collect the material for the third of the series, which will be devoted to Spain.

Mr. E. L. Godkin, editor of The Nation, offers a forcible answer in the June Century to the plea that civil-service reform would entail "The Danger of an Office-holding Aristocracy." He claims that such a tendency is wholly foreign to the genius of the American people, and that whether the machine politicians like it or not, civil-service reform is inevitable and probably near at hand.

The persecution of the Jews in Russia and the mission of Mr. Lawrence Oliphant to Constantinople, give timeliness to a paper on "The Colonization of Palestine" in the June Century, by J. Augustus Johnson, formerly United States Consul-General at Beirût. Mr. Johnson tells the story of two attempts to plant colonies in Palestine, which were lamentable failures, and thinks any efforts to the same end that could be made by either Christians or Hebrews would probably be unsuccessful.

A rare manuscript, supposed to have been irrecoverably lost, has just been found hidden away in a chest of odds and ends in a French chateau. This manuscript is a résumé of the biographies of several kings of France down to the time of Louis XV. It is supposed to have been compiled by one of the tutors of the unfortunate dauphin of France. It was secreted about the person of the prince when he was imprisoned in the temple, and served to pass away the tedious hours during which the dauphin lingered in his damp dungeon, and was embellished with copious marginal notes in his handwriting.

THE PERIODICALS.

The June Atlantic is a Longfellow memorial number, and must be peculiarly acceptable to those who admire and love both the poems of Mr. Longfellow and the poet himself. A remarkably fine steel portrait of Mr. Longfellow forms the frontispiece of the number, which contains a hitherto unpublished poem by Mr. Longfellow on "Decoration Day." Dr. Holmes contributes three sonnets in commemoration of Longfellow, entitling them "Our Dead Singer;" and O. B. Frothingham writes an article in commemoration of the poet and his works. The number contains five new chapters of Thomas Hardy's charming story, "Two on a Tower," also additional chapters of Miss Phelps's striking story of "Dr. Zay," and Mr. Bishop's "House of a Merchant Prince." The fourth paper in the remarkable series, "Studies in the South," is devoted to a variety of subjects, in which both the Southern people and those in other sections of the country who wish to know all about the South cannot fail to be interested. Edward Atkinson has a paper on "The Rapid Progress of Communism." John Fiske writes an essay in memory of Charles Darwin which possesses unusual interest and value. Henry James, Jr., contributes an exquisite criticism on Alphonse Daudet. The remaining articles in this number are a short story entitled "Serena," a paper on "The New Eastern Question," an article on "The Poets' Birds," and a poem on "The Night Moth's Comment," by Sallie M. B. Piatt. The Contributors' Club and an account of the books for the past month complete an excellent number of this periodical.

The June number of the sterling Eclectic Magazine is at hand, and has the following varied and excellent table of contents:—"A Few Words about the Nineteenth Century," by Frederic Harrison; "The Relations of Insects to Flowers," by Professor Asa Gray; "Emigration from Ireland," by J. H. Tuke; "The Borders and their Ballads; "Talk and Talkers," by R. L. Stevenson; "Whispers," a poem; "The Lady Maud," a sea tale, by the author of "The Wreck of the Grosvenor," chapters IV. to VI.; "A New Theory of the Sun," by Professor C. William Siemens; "A Statesman's Love Letters;" "Perry's Greek and Roman Sculpture," by Sir G. W. Cox, M. A.; "The Church by the Sea," by Edward W. Gosse; "Emile Zola," by Andrew Lang; "The World's End;" "Adventures on the Bowma; Souvenirs of African Travel," Part I., by Joseph Thomson, F. R. G. S.; "Out of the Beaten Track in Madagascar;" "The Future of English Humor;" "Eidola" a poem, by F. B. Harris; Literary Notices; Foreign Literary Notes; Science and Art; and Miscellany. Published by E. R. Pelton, 25 Bond street, New York.

The June number of the Century Magazine adds to, rather than takes away the superiority of the excellent periodicals and affords a rare treat to all. The frontispiece of the number is an excellent portrait of Cardinal Newman, engraved by Cole from a painting by Ouless. There are several excellent illustrated articles among which are "Around the Horne" by Bill Rolstay, the first part of "The Bee Pasture of California" by John Muir, the awards of the Century prizes for wood-engraving, "Marble Mining in Carrara" and the last paper on the opera in New York in which the author, Richard Grant White, speaks of the prominent operatic singers of the present time. This article contains excellent pictures of Parepa Rosa, Kellogg, Patti, Nilsson, Lucca, Cary and Gerster. Carlyle's "Reminiscences of My Irish Journey," Howell's "A Modern Instance," and Mrs. Burnett's "Through one Administration" are continued and the interest of each is well sustained and Mrs. Woolson's "The Street of the Hyacinth" is concluded. There is a short story by Mary Halleck Foote entitled "The Story of Aleayya" a description of a Chinese theatre, an essay on Cardinal Newman, and another on "The Danger of an Office-holding Aristocracy." Two short poems on Longfellow, and a poem entitled "In the haunts of the Bream and Bass" comprised the chief poetical numbers. The Topics of the Times, Home and Society, and The World's Work are full of interesting knowledge. Bric-a-Brac contains besides others several pieces of humorous poetry. The whole number is well worth the careful study of everyone.

ARMY AND NAVY NOTES.

Lieut.-Comdr. G. A. Converse, U. S. N., has returned to Norwich, Vt.

The Shenandoah is expected at the Boston navy yard in a few days.

Gen. Grant and family are expected to migrate to Long Branch early in June.

Lieut. George H. Paddock, 4th U. S. Artillery, took a brief leave from Fort Adams last week.

General Richard Arnold, U. S. A., was at Fort Monroe, Va., last week, on his annual inspection tour.

Some hopes are expressed that we may hear the result of the "Warren Court of Inquiry" at an early day.

Petitions were presented in the House May 15, from the officers of the 1st Artillery, protesting against the restoration of Eugene Wells to the army.

Announcement is made that Mr. Harry W. Wells, son of Commodore Clark H. Wells, U. S. N., will be married to Miss Gilder, June 7, at Philadelphia, Pa.

Gen. John M. Schofield, U. S. A., accompanied by his aides, Brt. Col. Wm. M. Wherry, and Lieut. Charles B. Schofield, arrived in Washington on Thursday.

Capt. R. Chandler left for Washington on the 15th inst., to consult with the chief of the bureau of equipment and recruiting, in relation to recruiting at the Boston navy yard.

Col. A. P. Howe, 4th United States Artillery, is expected to join at Fort Adams early in June. If he does, that post will have than a field officer in command, somewhat of a rarity there of late.

Capt. L. A. Beardslee, U. S. N., and Mrs. Beardslee, passed through Leghorn, April 22, en route from Naples to Genoa, on the Italian steamer India. Mrs. Beardslee had been sick for two months of fever at the Hotel Quirinal in Rome.

Commander J. R. Bartlett, U. S. N., read a paper before the meeting of the Naval Institute held at the Naval Academy last week, and over which Captain Ramsey presided. The subject was:—"The Gulf Stream—new data from the Investigation of the Coast and Geodetic Survey steamer Blake."

Lieut. E. L. Zalinski, 5th U. S. Artillery, now at Fort Wadsworth, will, at the special desire of the authorities at the artillery school, Fort Monroe, Va., report for duty there during next July and August to assist in certain experiments, observations, etc., during the annual sea coast firing.

The handsome guidon given by Alexander Hamilton, of Irvington, for Battery F, Fourth artillery, of which his grandfather was first captain, was yesterday presented by General Hancock to Lieutenant W. F. Stewart, representing the battery. The ceremony took place on Governor's Island, the members of the General's staff and the officers of the garrison being present in uniform.

A recent Senate bill provides "that Major-General H. G. Wright, Chief of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.; Major-General William B. Hazen commanding the Signal Corps; Doctor George B. Loring, Commissioner of Agriculture; and Professor Spencer F. Baird, Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, shall form a commission for the examination of the subject of the preservation and cultivation of woods and forests adjoining the sources of the navigable rivers and their affluents, for the purpose of preserving the same and increasing their growth by planting there and along the courses of the said rivers where the land is timberless, so that the said rivers may be kept in a navigable condition by promoting a continuous supply from their sources and affluents; the fact having become universally known that the destruction of the woods causes all countries to become arid and unprofitable deserts."

STARTING NEWSPAPERS.

There has not been a successful effort to start a new paper in any of the larger cities, during the past five years, and we do not believe there will be for the next ten. A company with a capital of $500,000 could not put a new paper on a paying basis in this city by the time the last dollar was expended. A new paper, to secure circulation, must be able to compete with the older ones. Suppose it to be a paper of the size and price of the morning papers of this city, this attempt will at the least figures require an outlay of $300,000 per annum for running expenses. A new paper expending this sum would bear no comparison with the old journals in the perfection of its new departments, and the circulation which it might pick up at the start, of people who would take a new paper on account of the novelty, would drop back to the old ones as soon as the novelty had worn off, and each paper have to stand upon its own merits.

If the paper be made smaller than the morning papers, and therefore cheaper, the experiment would be still less likely to be successful, for the margin of profits which the larger paper has on its circulation would be so materially reduced as to cut off the largest source of possible income. A paper at half the size and at half the price of our morning papers would sink money faster than one at about the same size and price, because there are many expenses that will be the same whether the paper be large or small, and while the profit on circulation is reduced it is not possible to correspondingly reduce the expenses and at the same time make a paper that will command any respect or ever be anything but a losing concern. The cost of telegraphing, editorial force, local work and the press-room will be about the same for a paper that sells for fifteen cents per week as for the one that sells for thirty cents. These constitute a large part of the expense of the paper. The saving on the smaller sheet only comes in on the cost of the white paper and composition, and the former is not likely to be an item of great consideration during the first few years of a new paper. The great fact to be considered in starting a paper is, that, with the exception of the single item of white paper, it costs much more to publish the new paper that has no patronage and no income at all than it does to publish the established paper with an income of a thousand dollars a day to carry it along. To the uninitiated it looks like extravagant talk, but it is nevertheless true, that there is not a national bank in Cincinnati today wealthy enough to start and successfully establish a new daily paper. To make this possible in any place requires, first, that there shall be a field for the new paper; second, that there be money enough to properly back the enterprise until it can be made to pay; and lastly, that the right man be found to make the paper and manage the business. There are men in Cincinnati who could provide the money, but the other two essentials to success will be found wanting here whenever the attempt is made.—[Cincinnati Time Star.

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NEWPORT DAILY NEWS AND THE NEWPORT JOURNAL

The Newport Daily News is published every afternoon (Sundays excepted), at the News building, 537 Thames street, by Davis & Pitman.

The Newport Journal is published at the same office every Saturday morning and contains a selection of the best matter in the Daily, including editorial discussions of the topics of the week, literary miscellanies and at least one good story, and a complete and comprehensive summary of news—local and general. The Journal is a large 36-column paper and contains a large amount of reading matter that is valuable to readers in town or country who desire a good Newport paper, but who do not take a daily from the city.

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The News has four steam presses and is a large and well appointed job printing office. All orders for work in this department will be promptly filled, and at reasonable prices. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Newport Daily News

MONDAY, MAY 22, 1882.

SUBSCRIBERS would confer a favor upon the publishers if they would report promptly any omission of the carriers to deliver the Daily News promptly and in good condition. Papers should not be twisted up or thrown, and the wishes of subscribers as to the manner of delivery must be regarded to any reasonable extent.

Colonel Reed, the counsel for Guiteau, says that he has some new plan to save his client if the court in banc decides against him. He will not tell what it is, but he is confident of its success.

The death watch on Guiteau will be set today. The assassin is still hopeful of a favorable decision from the court in banc, but he is the only person who believes that anything can save him from the scaffold.

One of the leading New York papers says:—"The Sanitary Protection Society is doing an excellent work in rendering healthful Newport a still more desirable summer residence by removing any possible cause of disease."

Fall River is a growing city. The census just completed shows a population of 50,507, an increase of 1500 over last year. With the completion of several of the new mills within a year from now, the population will be increased several thousand more.

Mr. Shipherd says that nothing on earth can compel him to give his documents to the committee, which has refused to accept his conditions. He now intends to give them to the public through the press. The people will gladly excuse him. They do not want to hear anything more about him.

A much better class of immigrants is coming to this country this year. The officers of Castle Garden say that they have never known steerage passengers to have such quantities of goods and trunks. The average immigrant is fifty per cent. more valuable than his predecessor in previous seasons. Not only are they better off in this world's goods, but a large part of the men are skilled artisans.

The new indictments presented against the Star route conspirators cover 106 pages of closely-written foolscap and it is thought that they close up every loophole which was left open in the old indictments. It is about time that every chance of escape was cut off and that the trials were hurried along and finished. The country is exceedingly tired of this dilly-dallying and wants this matter settled immediately.

The Democrats in the national House of Representatives are determined to prevent any discussion on the contested election cases now before Congress. Saturday, when the Mackey-O'Connor, case was brought up, the Democrats began their filibustering and by leaving the House without a quorum, prevented the consideration of the case which would probably have decided against them. The Republicans are equally determined to push these cases and a warm fight is likely to be the result.

News from Egypt is of a less peaceful character. The ministry is endeavoring to obtain the support of the chamber of notables in inaugurating a policy of resistance, and it is claimed by his followers that Arabi Bey can count on the army and that he is determined to fight. The Khedive and his adherents are calm and ready for the emergency, four thousand reserves having just responded to a call to arms. The English and French squadrons, sent to protect foreigners, have arrived at Alexandria, and two Greek men-of-war are at the same place. It is hardly possible that a crisis can be avoided.

The Crapo bill for the extension of the charters of national banks, which has lately passed the House, enables two-thirds of the stockholders of any national bank to continue its charter for twenty years without interruption of business. It also provides that the stockholders in favor of continuing the business of a bank shall purchase at the appraisal of three disinterested persons the shares held by such stockholders as desire to retire. Two important amendments were made to the bill, one of which requires banks to give notice of their purpose to retire circulation, and the other permits action against banks to be brought in state courts.

Between five and six thousand immigrants arrived in New York on European steamers yesterday. The aggregate number of arrivals of immigrants last week, including only those who were landed yesterday, and not those who reached port, but will not be brought ashore until today, was 23,545. This is a higher number than has ever reached New York during any single week and more than the whole arrivals during any month in 1879. We were told that large numbers of immigrants were coming to America, but we did not expect to see so many as have been coming. If they continue to come at the rate they have been, even the United States will not have room to accommodate them. We shall be obliged to buy some more land.

A correspondent in today's Daily News supplements the statements and explanations of Mayor Slocum in regard to the Horgan case. There seems to be considerable nervousness over this affair, but the real charge made in the report published in the Providence Journal, that the facts were misrepresented to the attorney general and the court, has not yet been met. We have not investigated the case, and have no disposition to do so, as it is not our purpose to attempt to "overrule the judgment of the court." As the Daily News has passed no opinion on the case at all, this charge is probably not intended to apply to representatives of this paper. But we must take occasion to resist the suggestion that the newspapers should not discuss the action of men who occupy official positions. We do not remember to have seen any criticism on the court in this connection. The complaint was of the action taken before it reached the court and this is a point which our correspondent carefully avoids. It will probably be as well for all parties to let the matter rest, but of that the parties interested must judge for themselves.

COMMUNICATION WITH NEW YORK.

We are in receipt of a communication from Charles Warren Lippitt, president of the Providence board of trade, in relation to additional trains on the New York & Providence Railroad Company. Through the action of that board a special fast train has been already put on, leaving New York at 4 P. M., and arriving at Providence at 10.35 P. M. It is now suggested that it might be of service to Newport to have a connection with that train by means of the steamer Eolus, so that passengers leaving New York at 4 might be in this city at about 11 of the same evening. Such an arrangement would certainly have great advantages, and we trust its feasibility may be carefully considered by the managers of the Wickford line. It is for the interest of Newport to secure the best connections possible with the national metropolis, and our efforts in this direction in the past have been of great service. It is understood that the train with which it is proposed to connect goes through with very few stoppages and at high speed. A similar train leaves Providence at 4.45 P. M. and reaches New York at 10.55.

THE POLITICAL OUTLOOK.

The Republican party in Congress is playing fast and loose with the finances in a manner that will play mischief with the organization when the people have an opportunity to pass upon its merits. The present tariff is bringing more money into the treasury than is wanted, but rather than diminish the taxes on imports, all sorts of schemes are resorted to for getting rid of the money. Ten millions for education, $17,000,000 for rivers and harbors, untold millions for government buildings, and at the rate at which Congress is going on, the balance between receipts and expenditures will be brought down to a moderate amount, and there will be no excessive revenue to call for cutting down the tariff.

By thus squandering the people's money in a rage of extravagance and corruption, the demands of the monopolists, who are the real political "bosses," can be met, and the managers be in funds with which to carry the election. The Republican party has a glorious history, but as things go it is about time to draw it to an end. If the Democrats would only improve the opportunity and show that they were actuated by principle and in love with fair play their star would quickly be in the ascendant. But alas! they do not do it. In the meantime the tribe of independents is rapidly on the increase and they must watch their opportunity and strike where their blows will tell most effectually.

SUNSET COX ON THE TARIFF.

The little girl cannot play with her doll nor the boy whiz his top, nor the mother wash her offspring with soap, except at an expense of from one-third to one-half of their cost for the domestic privilege. If the mother gives her child castor-oil she pours down 148 per cent. ad valorem; if the child does not enjoy the dose, there is a 25 per cent. bowl as the recipient of the contents of its tender stomach. And though she "wash it with niter and take to it much soap, yet the iniquity is marked before me, saith the Lord," for the soap is taxed 40 per centum! Gold help the child! If she wraps the little dear in a plain bleached cotton nightshirt it has a nightmare of 5½ cents per square yard specific; when the child awakes in the morning fretful, she combs its little head at 35 cents ad valorem; if she would amuse it, she rolls it over a Brussels carpet at 90 cents per square yard, or gives it confectionery made of refined sugar at 4 cents a pound tax, and 25 per cent ad valorem; if it tears its little panties, the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Kelly) sews them up with spool-thread taxed at three-quarters of its value. Why, if she used a shingle to bring the little "toddling, wee thing" to its senses, as the honorable gentleman can recall, the cost would be enhanced at the rate of 17 per cent. taxation. If the youngster has a patriotic inclination on our Fourth of July, his fire-crackers are taxed as a patriotic luxury at $1 extra a box and the bunting which furnishes the flag, though but 23 cents a pound, costs 121 per cent. extra, while the band physon instruments taxed at 20 cents. She takes him to the menagerie to study natural history. There is the zebra, symbolic of a mixed ad valorem and specific, and the stately giraffe, high protection, the royal tiger, and unicorn of Holy Writ at 20 per cent. And the procession of elephants! Every one 20 per cent. True, Jumbo, for purposes not to be mentioned, is excluded by the affidavit of a consistent protectionist! but the log-chain that holds his huge legs binds the monster in protective chains!

LOCAL NOTES.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TODAY.

Wanted—Situation.
For Sale or to Let—Estate.
Wm. H. Hammett—Rugs, &c.
James H. Hammett—Hosiery, &c.
Wilbour, Jackson & Co.—Bankers.
Barker Brothers—Chandeliers, &c.

—Straw hats have appeared on the streets.

—Moses Grinnell will not be sentenced before July.

—The city government will be organized two weeks from today.

—Mrs. J. S. McLane and maid, of Baltimore, are at the Aquidneck House.

Rev. Mr. Schermerhorn preached at the Channing Memorial Church yesterday.

—The alterations of the entrance of the Hook and Ladder Company's house are completed.

—Mr. R. R. Winans, of Baltimore, has arrived at his cottage, at Bateman's Point, for the season.

—Mr. Charles J. Peterson and family, of Philadelphia, arrived at their cottage on Bath road Saturday.

—Mrs. Edward King and family, of New York, and Mr. F. W. Andrews, of Boston, will arrive at their cottages today.

—Mr. James Phillips's condition remains about the same, though he appears somewhat easier today than he was yesterday.

—Colonel Haviland, Professor William B. Rogers and Mr. Pierre Lorillard will arrive at their cottages during the present week.

—The first mail matter from the training ships Portsmouth and Saratoga, since their departure for Europe, was received Saturday.

—Rev. J. C. Hewlett preached, last evening, an able and highly practicable sermon on the text, "Godliness with contentment is great gain."

—Shirley, the well-known race horse belonging in Newport, will compete in the races at Mystic Park and will be ridden by Mr. J. N. Howard.

—Owing to the continued cold weather the ducks and loons are still plentiful along the shore. Nearly a hundred were shot near the boat-house yesterday.

—Rev. Mahlon Van Horne addressed a large meeting at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association last evening. His subject was "The Prodigal Son."

—J. Neilson Howard & Co. have sold for Mr. H. B. Scholes, of Brooklyn, his place on Bellevue avenue, corner of Perry street, to Miss Mary Tooker, of New York.

—Mr. W. R. McQuown, of Minneapolis, Minn., formerly leader of the Newport band, is spoken of as the probable leader of the New Hampshire band and orchestra.

—Through the kindness of Messrs. Thomas S. Nason, Benjamin Easton, Jr., and Galen Davis, excellent music was furnished to the inmates of Newport Asylum yesterday.

—A committee of the First Methodist Episcopal Church has been appointed to have in charge the arrangements for the reopening of the church, which will take place some time next month.

—Yacht Norseman, owned by Mr. Ogden Goelet, of the New York Yacht Club, arrived here this noon, from New York, on a cruise, giving us the first gun of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Goelet are on board.

—Thomas Burlingham sold today, for the estate of Lydia Spencer, the lot with buildings on Cherry street, formerly the property of George W. King, to Stafford Bryer, Jr., for $1,625. The lot measures 50 by 40 feet.

—Mr. Frank T. Southwick played the organ as a supply yesterday at the United Congregationalist Church, and handled the instrument in such a manner as to prove him to be both an excellent organist and a fine musician.

—The crayon portrait of the late poet Longfellow, on exhibition in C. E. Hammett's window on Thames street, is by Mr. C. F. W. Mielatz, draftsman for the United States Engineer Corps in this city. It is life-size and attracts considerable attention.

The Boston Museum Company is soon to appear at the Opera House in Gilbert and Sullivan's aesthetic comic opera "Patience." This company is said to be the best one playing this celebrated opera, and a good representation may be expected.

—Quite a number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Murray assembled at their residence Saturday afternoon for the purpose of being present at the fourth anniversary of the birth of their daughter. The young people as well as the others enjoyed a very pleasant visit.

—New York pilot boat Thomas S. Negus, No. 1, brought in here this morning, with the assistance of revenue cutter Samuel Dexter, brig Castalia, of and from Richmond, Maine, for Philadelphia, with a cargo of ice. The brig was run into Saturday night at sea by steamship Alaska, of the Union line, and lost her bowsprit and headgear. The Alaska was from Liverpool for New York, and proceeded, after lying by the injured vessel two hours. No person was injured. The captain of the brig states that he was in the line of the ocean steamers when the accident occurred.

A CASE FOR THE SUPREME COURT.

During the session of the Supreme Court in this city rumors were freely circulated of an alleged assault in the sheriff's office by City Marshal Congdon upon Isaac Romes, the janitor of the State House. As no steps had been taken to bring the matter before the courts, and the rumors were somewhat conflicting, they were not allowed a place in the columns of the News. This morning we are informed that a writ of summons has been issued and probably already served upon Mr. Congdon, the amount of damages being laid at $1000.

The circumstances of the case as gathered from both parties appear to be about as follows:—On one of the days during the session of the court, Marshal Congdon on opening the door of the Court House found that it creaked as it to make a disagreeable noise. Romes, the janitor, was near by, and Mr. Congdon said, "Romes, this door needs greasing," to which Romes replied that if it did he, the marshal, had better grease it himself. Nothing more was said at the time. Next morning Romes entered the sheriff's office, where were seated Mr. Congdon and Captain Hammond. Romes made a salutation to the latter, and in a moment or so, the marshal said, as he states, "Look here, young man, if you do not answer my civil questions properly you had better look out." Mr. Romes, however, asserts that Mr. Congdon applied a disagreeable epithet. In reply to this Romes "guessed nothing would happen," as he says, or as the marshal declares "he told me it was none of my business." Romes says that then the marshal choked him again, t the radiator and struck him once over the forehead and once in the eye. Mr. Congdon says he choked him, but does not admit that he struck him. This is a plain statement, as furnished by one who has inquired into the case, and written in the interest of neither party. The Messrs. Sheffield are counsel for Mr. Romes, and are understood to have brought the case.

MORE ABOUT THE HORGAN CASE.

To the Editor of the Daily News:—

In regard to the case of the state vs. Horgan and Roach, in which the newspaper reporters are seeking to overrule the judgments of the court, it is but fair to the court and the public that the facts should be stated. First. It may be premised that in the opinion of lawyers no conviction could be had under the indictment, for the offence was charged as having been committed in a building not adjoining to or being part of a dwelling house, when in fact the store where the offence was committed was the first story, while the second story was a dwelling house.

But the father of the Horgan boy was anxious that his son should be under some restraint from the fact of his tendency to intemperance, and therefore was apprehensive that an absolute acquittal would prove injurious rather than beneficial to him. The mayor was also anxious that both of the defendants should be convicted.

Upon the evidence given by the only person who saw the act committed it appeared that the Horgan boy, when required by Roach to break the window of the store, absolutely refused to do so; when Roach called Horgan a coward and did the act himself. Under this state of facts when he had no part in the breaking or entering whatever, how could he have been convicted? But he was an intemperate fellow and the city officers and his father thought he ought to be put under restraint, and by so doing that, possibly, he might be reformed. If his father became his bail the object desired to be obtained might be defeated, so it was thought best that the mayor should have control of his liberty and have the power to surrender Horgan to jail on his recognizance in his discretion, and this course was taken.

These are the plain facts. Possibly, those persons who attempt to reverse the decision of the court, or censure it, may not have known the facts, and acted in the premises without knowing fully about what they were writing, but the wrong to the community in trying to undermine its confidence in the judgments and integrity of its tribunals, is not the less because of the ignorance of these censors of their proceedings. ***

For the News.)

THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.

In a city of classical buildings, the Smithsonian Institution, by its quaint irregularity, pleases the stranger and prevents monotony. It was designed by James Renwick, of New York. The style of architecture is Rommesque, or Norman of the twelfth century, though no baron of that period would recognize the style. It has been called the handsomest building in Washington; but the use of the superlative usually shows more haste than care of judgment. It was the first mneclesiastical Romanesque structure ever built in the United States.

The Smithsonian Institution consists of a centre building two hundred and fifty feet long, and fifty-five feet wide; two connecting ranges or cloisters sixty by forty-nine feet each, with open arcades on the north; and two wings, each forty by eighty feet. The entire length is four hundred and fifty feet, and the breadth of the centre building and towers, including the carriage porch, is one hundred and sixty feet. The main building has two stories; but each wing is of one story. Towers flank the main building at each angle, while the wings have smaller towers, the total number being nine. Of these towers, the octagonal and the campanile, of the main part, are the most striking. The material of the building is a reddish brown sandstone, and the face is finished in ashlor. The work is constructed in a very durable manner. The main entrance from the north is through the two mentioned towers. Their proportions are symmetrical. They are of unequal height, the higher being one hundred and fifty feet. In 1865 a fire destroyed the upper part of the main building. When rebuilt, it was made fire-proof, so that now the whole of the centre building is safe from the flames, and the wings and the cloisters are nearly so.

James Smithson, the founder, the natural son of Hugh Smithson, first Duke of Northumberland, was born in London, and was graduated at Pembroke College, Oxford, in 1786. The father seems to have well provided for his offspring, and hence the son was able to lead a quiet life. He was very studious, and made special studies of chemistry and mineralogy, became a member of the Royal Society, and published several scientific works. In 1828 he died a bachelor, leaving his money to his nephew for life; but after the nephew's death, the money was to go to the United States "to found at Washington under the name of the Smithsonian Institution, an establishment for the increase and diffusion of knowledge among men." The reasons for this bequest are a matter of conjecture; for Smithson had never visited the United States, and he knew no one here. In 1836 the government accepted the bequest. The whole amount, $515,000, was invested in Arkansas bonds and was lost when the state repudiated its debt; but the loss was made good from the National Treasury. The vagueness of the wording of the bequest gave rise in Congress to discussions as to the method of "diffusing knowledge." In 1846 Congress gave organization to the Smithsonian Institution, and the next year the corner-stone was laid with Masonic ceremonies in the presence of President Polk, and his Cabinet, and before a large gathering of the inhabitants. The building was completed in 1856, at a cost of $450,000. This amount was paid from the interest which had accrued during the long delay, and there was still left, for a permanent fund, $650,000, the income of which supports the institution. Besides the museum, and art gallery, Congress decided upon a scientific library as best fulfilling the terms of the bequest; but in 1866 the books were transferred to the library of Congress. By the fire of 1865 many things, that could not be replaced, were lost, among them were the record books, the famous Stanley gallery of Indian paintings, the scientific correspondence, and some of the personal effects of Smithson. The principal works of the Institution at present are its publications, exchanges, explorations, and collections.

The grounds were designed and partly laid out by Andrew Jackson Downing. The effect is very good. There are groves, lawns, drives and footways. One hundred and fifty species of trees and shrubs, chiefly American, adorn the place. Everything is in good taste. In the east part of the grounds is an interesting vase, designed by Calvert Vaux, executed by Robert Launitz, and erected to the memory of Downing by the American Pomological Society.

The collections of the institution are as bewildering in number to the average visitor as they are valuable to science. The zoological hall contains mammals, birds, corals, sponges, skeletons of brutes, reptiles and stuffed fishes; animal products, such as pearl horn, ivory, whalebone, leather, hair; and casts from skeletons in foreign museums. In the south hall are casts of fishes and reptiles. The mineral hall in the west range is full of interest. The Great Tucson meteorite, weighing 1,400 pounds, from Tucson, Arizona, first discovered by Jesuits in Sonora, Mexico, and the Couch meteorite, from Coahuila, Mexico, are to be seen here. The chief interest in meteorites lies in the fact that they are fragments of solid fiery bodies which, occasionally, and with immense velocity, come to the earth from distant planets. The gold, silver, copper, lead, cinnabar, ores make a handsome and instructive exhibition. It seems strange that there are only seven thousand millions worth of gold in the world; that one-third of the gold goes to wear and tear, one-third into circulation, and one-third into the arts and manufactures, and that all the gold in the world would make a mass only twenty five feet wide, forty-five feet long, and twenty-five feet high. Here also is a fine and extensive collection of birds' nests and eggs. The eggs of the Epiornis are used as vases by the natives of Madagascar, the largest egg containing over two gallons of water. The exhibition of pottery in Ceramic hall is good, though not complete. Among the things of questionable art value is a bust of General Grant, composed entirely of fine wire, and made by a lady of Peru. The visitor who is pleased with this object will not care for the instructive models of the ancient cliff dwellings of our country; but he may find pleasure in examining Davy Crockett's tomahawk, Captain Cook's razor, locks of hair of the first fourteen Presidents of the United States, or the bolt to which Columbus was chained.

The Anthropological hall contains a valuable and most interesting collection of objects relating in any manner to the natural history of man. It includes the monuments, weapons, tools, ornaments, etc., left by primitive man. The collection is rich especially in North American articles; but it embraces a variety of relics from the drifts of England and of France, a series of Swiss lacustrine antiquities, neolithic weapons and tools from Denmark, and a large number of weapons, utensils, textile and ceramic fabrics from Asia, Africa, Australia, and the island groups of the Pacific. A very interesting series illustrates the customs of early man, as shown by implements and other objects of stone, metal, bone, and earthenware exhumed from graves, mounds, and village-sites. The arrangement is admirable and excellent for purpose of study. Of all the public institutions, the Smithsonian is probably the best in purpose, in arrangement, and in management. K.

THE WORLD'S GUANO SUPPLY.

The world's supply of true guano is nearly exhausted. In recent public discussions of the diplomatic policy of our government in South America and of the extraordinary pretentions of the organization known as the Peruvian company, it has usually been assumed that the guano beds of Peru are still of boundless extent and of incalculable value. The province of Tarapaca is supposed to be altogether composed of guano and nitrate beds, and some of the estimates on the value of the deposits in the Lobos islands fairly make the head swim. These extravagant assumptions have, unfortunately, no foundation in fact. The supply of Peruvian guano may hold out 10 or 20 years longer, but those who are best informed make the limit somewhat shorter. The exportation began in 1842. Only 182 tons were shipped in that year. In 1852 the amount shipped to England, which has always controlled the trade, had risen to 435,000 tons. The Chincha islands were the earliest source of the supply. More than 7,000,000 tons had been gathered on these islands up to 1872, when only 150,000 tons remained, and Peru closed them to foreign shippers, reserving the trifling amount that was left for her own use. In the four years succeeding 1870, over 1,000,000 tons were shipped from the Macabi and Huanape islands, and in 1875 only half a million tons remained. The Lobos islands have been the source of the shipments of the last five or six years, though the Ballestas group have yielded a small quantity of a highly nitrogenized variety. In 1877, it was estimated that the total amount of guano remaining on the Peruvian mainland and the islands did not exceed 2,000,000 tons. It has lately been asserted that the Lobos islands supply is nearly exhausted. At any rate, it is sufficiently evident that there are limits to the quantity of guano which we can expect Peru to furnish. There is no other known spot on the earth where the article is obtainable in quantities large enough to pay for exporting.—[Industrial Review.

STATESMANSHIP IN TROUBLE.

The dangers of Congressional life have these days been forcibly illustrated. When the treasury is full of money the mind of the statesman applies itself at once to the question how the spending of that money for it must be spent can be so managed as to reflect the greatest possible glory upon himself. It is the statesman's loftiest ambition to get an appropriation for his district or his state, be it for the improvement of a trout stream or the erection of a postoffice building. In this statesmanship takes its greatest pride, and the distinction derived from such achievements is the subject of the keenest jealousy. Every person appreciating the value of a statesman's fame will instinctively feel how deep his indignation must be when an attempt is made to deprive him of the credit he deserves for such a legislative feat. No wonder Representative Blackburn, of Kentucky, was "thrown into a rage" when he heard that Senator Williams, from his state, had written a private letter insinuating that the credit for having obtained from Congress an appropriation of $100,000 for a public building at Frankfort, Kentucky, was not wholly due to Mr. Blackburn.

There are many slights which the patient spirit of true statesmanship will meekly bear. But this was too much even for Mr. Blackburn. As a legislator he felt his honor wounded in the tenderest spot, and it required the patient mediation of three United States Senators, who, during two anxious days and nights, incessantly carried and considered and adjusted explanations and propositions between the two gentlemen engaged in this solemn contention, to prevent a bloody encounter upon that field where gentlemen maintain their word at the peril of death. We are happy to be assured that this dread issue has been averted by the untiring interposition of friendship, but we regret to say, at the same time, that the world is after all left in the dark as to whether the fame earned by obtaining an appropriation of $100,000 for a public building in Frankfort, Kentucky, belongs wholly to Mr. Blackburn or not.—[N. Y. Post.

IN SOWING AND PLANTING.

I did not fully realize, until a few years ago, the full importance of how indispensable it was to use the feet in the operations of sowing and planting. For some years past I have, in writing on garden matters, insisted upon the great importance of "firming" the soil over the seeds after sowing, especially when the soil is dry, or likely to become so. I know of no operation of more importance in either the farm or garden, and I trust that what I am about to say will be read and remembered by everyone not yet aware of the vast importance of the practice. I say "vast importance," for the loss to the agricultural and horticultural community, from the habit of loosely sowing seeds or planting plants in hot and dry soils, is of a magnitude which few will believe, until they have witnessed it; and it is a loss all the more to be regretted, when we know that by "firming" the soil around the seed or plant, there is, in most cases, a certain preventive.

Particularly in the sowing of seeds, I consider the matter of such vast importance, that it cannot be too often or too strongly told; for the loss to the agricultural and horticultural community, by the neglect of the simple operation of firming the soil around the seed, must amount to many millions annually. For the mischief done is not confined only to the less important garden operations, but even corn, cotton, wheat, turnips and other important crops of the farm often fail, in hot and dry soils, by being sown without being firmed sufficiently to prevent the dry air shriveling or drying the seeds. Of course, the use of the feet is impracticable in firming seeds on the farm, but a heavy roller, applied after sowing, is an absolute necessity under certain conditions of the soil, to insure perfect germination.

On July 2, 1874, as an experiment I sowed 12 rows of sweet corn and 12 rows of beets, treading in, after sowing, every alternate row of each. In both cases, those trod in came up in four days, while those unfirmed remained 12 days before starting, and would not then have germinated had not the rain fallen, for the soil was dry as dust when the seed were sown. The result was, that the seeds that had been trodden in grew freely from the start, and matured their crops to a marketable condition by fall; while the rows unfirmed did not mature, as they were not only eight days later in germinating, but the plants were also, to some extent, enfeebled by being partially dried in the loose, dry soil.—[From an essay by Peter Henderson.

Says a London cram:—"The Americans are as mad as we. They have 'christened' Jumbo with champagne, and made his sponsor swear for him that he will renounce all allegiance to the Queen of England, the works of the British Empire, and become the son of the stars and stripes, and a worshipper of Republicanism. All the novelties of the American stores are called after him, and the cost of his keep every day is published along with the price of shares and rate of exchange."—[Quiz.

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A suitor has applied for a pension, on account of injuries received during the late war. Probably strained himself in a charge. Many of them were dangerously exposed that way when lean cheese cost $1.75 a pound, live weight.—[Burlington Hawkeye.

Hundreds of Boston families have made up their minds that, the city being about as watery as any watering-place they can find, they will stay at home this summer.—[Boston Transcript.

Up to the 1st of last month there had been coined under the silver act 112,078,680 legal tender silver dollars. Of these, in spite of the most industrious efforts of the Treasury to put them out, only 38,893,097 were in circulation, and 78,178,583 were lodged in the Treasury. Of $562,000,000 of gold coin in the country last November nearly $400,000,000 were in circulation.

Mr. Thomas Gibbons, late of the United States navy, has in preparation a work entitled "Roving the Compass," which is to be dedicated to Rear Admiral Preble, United States navy, which will contain a large amount of interesting naval matter.

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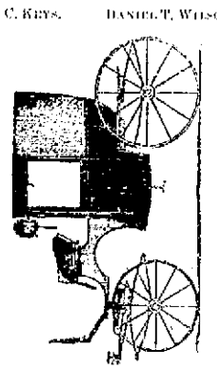

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Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 22.—Reports from the west coast state that vessels are locked in ice northwest of Cape Ray. Two large ocean steamers, one bark rigged and the other brig rigged, were also caught fast and driven on the coast between Cape Ray and Cape Aguilla. A 1000-ton ship has been driven up the sloping cliff at Red Cook Point and lies 40 feet above the sea level.

Guarding a Cardinal's House.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

DUBLIN, May 22.—Cardinal McCabe's house is guarded by the police on account of the threatened assassination of the Cardinal.

The Sultan of Turkey in Danger.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 22.—Considerable litter has been found in the sleeping-room of the Sultan, showing that his life is threatened. The Sultan has secluded himself for fear of assassination.

The Pacific Bank.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

BOSTON, May 22.—The Pacific Bank closed its doors this morning pending a visit of its president and a committee of the directors to Washington regarding affairs of the bank.

GUARDING AGAINST MOTHS.

A very important branch of the furrier's business, but one which many say they would be glad to get rid of if they could do so without injury to their more important interests, is the storing and caring for during the summer months of valuable furs. Thousands of dollars worth of furs and fur-lined garments are confided to their care every spring, to be kept free of moths, and returned in good order in the autumn. "But," one of the largest up-town dealers said, "we don't want any more of this work than we have now, and I think I would be willing to give it up altogether, but for the consideration that customers who come to us for this service will be likely some day to become purchasers, and to make us even. It gives a good deal of trouble. Women hardly ever send boxes with their furs, or if they do, the boxes are broken, and useless. So we have to supply new boxes, costing sixty cents each. Then the furs have to be cleaned, aired and beaten every week or two, repacked and insured. It is expected also that we should take care of the most troublesome things. One woman brings us a velvet dress trimmed with feathers, to be kept free of creases and moths during the season. Another insists upon our keeping her horse blankets, and we have even had them send us rugs and carpets.

"The only way to keep furs safely is to clean them thoroughly before putting them away, then to put them in very close boxes, and every week, in the case of delicate furs, or two weeks at most with the hardiest, to take them out, shake and beat them well, air them thoroughly, and replace them in their boxes. Nothing can be put in the boxes with them which will enhance their safety, without doing them injury. Camphor, in which many persons have such confidence, is very injurious to the furs of sable, mink and others, even to some of the colored ones, and its unpleasant odor clings to furs much longer than to clothing. There is a tar paper, especially prepared for the purpose, which is said to keep moths away, and is largely used in keeping clothing, but we cannot use it, even if it were certain to exclude moths, because it gives the garments the disagreeable odor of tar, which would cling to them a long while. Tobacco and cedar chips are of little or no value, and we certainly would never trust to them for safety. In fact, there is nothing on which we can rely confidently, except constant care, in airing, beating and packing away.

"Hatters generally, at the close of their winter goods season, pack in pasteboard boxes, with paper tightly pasted over the cracks, all the fur caps, gloves, tippets, collars and such things that they have left over, and say that the plan works satisfactorily. Perhaps it does, with such small articles as they handle, but it would be impracticable of application to the care of great silk and velvet circulars, lined with fur, heavy fur cloaks, and other goods of this most expensive class. They would be ruined by such keeping, even if the moths did not get at them, which they very probably would. The keeping out of creases is quite as important and as difficult as the keeping out of moths. Ladies sometimes get the idea of keeping their furs over the summer by sealing them up in air-tight boxes, and for a season or two they may do so successfully, as far as the moths are concerned, but in the end it is sure to work them woe. One lady of my acquaintance, who had a magnificent $1,500 set of sables, said to me:—"Why should I pay you several dollars for keeping my furs for me, when I have just as good a way myself which will cost me nothing?" I said:—Very well, there is no reason why you should pay me for doing what you can do as well." She sealed her furs in air-tight boxes. For two seasons the plan happened to work admirably. At the end of the third season, when she took them out of the boxes, she brought them to me. The worms were actually dropping out of them by scores. Her beautiful furs were wholly ruined. She doesn't practice that economy any more.

"The prices for keeping furs vary greatly, according to their delicacy—for some are more difficult to keep than others—ranging all the way from two per cent. up to four per cent. on their value. When the great trouble incurred, the space required, the responsibility involved, and the cost of insurance against fire are all taken into account, the charges are very low indeed—not enough to induce us to desire any extension of the business."

An up-town tailor has started, as a department of his business, the keeping of men's winter clothing during the summer months. He began it last year, and met with so much encouragement that he has increased his facilities for the present season. For keeping overcoats he charges 0 cents per month, coats, 35 cents; vests, 20 cents; trousers, 25 cents, and guarantees that the moths shall not injure them. He is very reticent about his methods, seeking to impress the inquiring mind with the idea that he possesses a profound secret, the nearest he will come to revelation thereof being:—"I puts dem in a partic'lar kind of boxes vot I got, mit baper, unt efery week I airs dem, unt shakes dem onet. Dem moths don't go mit dot baper in a place.—[Hartford Post.

During the five months ending November 30, 1881, there sailed from San Francisco 250 grain-laden vessels for Europe, all of which arrived at their destinations except three English barques, one of which was wrecked, another is missing, and the third put back in distress. It is gratifying to be able to state that all the American vessels numbered in this large fleet reached their destined ports in safety, the only disasters reported being confined to English shipping.

ARRIVAL OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

New York, May 20th, City of Rome, from Liverpool; Bristol, from Bristol; Elbe, from Bremen; Donau, from Bremen; Alvena, from Aspinwall; Alps, from West Indies; Schleswig, from Greytown; 21st, Alaska, from Liverpool; Galileo, from Hull; Maas, from Rotterdam; Nebo, from Rio Janeiro; Bermuda, from St. Kitts; Saratoga, from Havana.

Boston, 20th, Victoria, from Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Halifax, 21st, Acadia, from Boston.

Liverpool, 20th, Bulgarian, from Boston; Explorer, from New Orleans; Crest, from St. John's, N. B.

Sharpness, 8th, Irthington, from Boston.

Morille, 19th, Phenician, from Baltimore.

Queenstown, 21st, Adriatic, from N. Y.

Yokohama, 20th ult., Galley of Lorne, from London.

Havre, 21st, Canada, from New York.

Amsterdam, 19th, Edam, from New York.

Bremen, 20th, Nurnberg, from Baltimore.

St. Kitts, 19th, Muriel, from New York.

Port Spain, 19th, Viola, from New York.

St. Thomas, 18th, Ponca, from New York.

St. Ann's Bay, Ja., 30th ult., Roxburg Castle, from New York.

Passed Cape Race, 19th, Brooklyn, bound west.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

YESTERDAY.	3.23 P.M.	7.23 P.M.	11.23 P.M.
Barometer	29.88	29.93	29.96
Thermometer	59	53	52
Humidity	60	80	87
Wind {Direction	SW	SW	S
Wind {Velocity	15	14	4
Weather	Hazy	Fair	Fair

Mean Daily Barometer 29.91
Mean Daily Thermometer 53
Maximum Temperature 61
Minimum Temperature 46
Total amt of rain during the day ..... 0.05 inch.

TODAY.	7.23 A. M.	11.23 A. M.
Barometer	30.07	30.09
Thermometer	58	66
Humidity	69	60
Wind {Direction	N	NW
Wind {Velocity	4	4
Weather	Fair	Cloudy

Total movement of wind from noon yesterday to noon today ..... 167 miles.
Max. velocity of wind from noon yesterday to noon today ..... 18 miles.

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MINIATURE CALENDAR.

TOMORROW, (TUESDAY) MAY 23, 1882.

Sun rises	4 h. 32 m.
Sun sets	7 h. 22 m.
Moon sets (A. M.)	h. m.
Length of day	14 h. 50 m.
Day's increase	5 h. 46 m.
High water	0 h. 15 m., A.M.; 0 h. 36 m., P. M.
Height of tide	3 ft. 7 in., A. M.; 3 ft. 7 in., P. M.

Moon's Phases for May, 1882.

	D.	H. M.
Full Moon	3	8 47 A. M.
Last Quarter	10	7 51 A. M.
New Moon	17	3 19 A. M.
First Quarter	24	7 57 P. M.

Died.

VOSE—In this city, 19th instant, Catharine M., widow of Wm. S. Vose, in her 76th year. The funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 3 Bath road, on Wednesday afternoon, 24th instant, at 1 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

DILLON—In this city, 21st instant, Catherine, wife of Daniel Dillon, aged 65 years and 4 months.

The funeral will take place from St. Mary's Church tomorrow (Tuesday) morning at 9.30 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to be present.

GLADDING—In Providence, 20th instant, John Norris Gladding, in his 51st year.

GIFFORD—In Westport, Mass., 19th instant, George H. Gifford, aged 76 years.

GRAY—In Providence, 21st instant, Etta A., wife of Harley W. Gray, in her 25th year.

TRIPP—In New Bedford, Mass., 20th instant, Charlotte R., widow of Oliver Tripp, aged 78.

GALE—In Providence, 20th instant, Phebe A. Gale, in the 6th year of her age.

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CONKLING INTERVIEWED.

He Repudiates all Political Sins Charged Against Him.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

NEW YORK, May 22.—In an interesting interview with a New York Herald correspondent, Mr. Conkling repudiates all political sins charged against himself from the time of President Garfield's assassination to the present time.

The Crown Prince of Germany.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

BERLIN, May 22.—The Tangleblatt announces that there will be great danger to the Crown Prince of Germany from the official authorities, if he should attempt to attend the coronation of the Emperor of Russia.

Weather Indications.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

WASHINGTON, May 22, 12.30 P. M.—For New England, partly cloudy with local rains; variable and mostly easterly winds; stationary or lower barometer and higher temperature.

Wall Street.

Special Despatch to the Daily News.]

NEW YORK, May 22.—Stocks opened generally strong ½ to ⅝ higher. The early dealings showed an advance of ½ to ¾, which was followed by a reaction of ⅛ to ¾. At 11 o'clock there was a slight recovery and after 11 the market was dull with an advance of ⅛ to ½.

CURIOUS PERSIAN SUPERSTITION.

A curious instance of the force of superstition occurred in a street in our quarter the other day. An aged woman who had no friends or relations, had lived for a quarter of a century in a small room, reached by a spiral staircase, at the extreme top of a vast house inhabited by at least a hundred different families. One morning the venerable woman was found dead in her bed, and the agents of the Funeral Company were sent for to prepare the body for burial. They came with the humble bier, which is the last bed, before the grave, of the poor, and with the simple pine coffin. Next day the funeral was to take place, that is, the body was to be carried by two men to the cemetery. To their surprise they found that they could not get the bier, encumbered with the coffin, down the spiral staircase. Every effort was in vain. But, communicating with the tiny room in which the woman had died was another tenement, which had an entrance opening on the main staircase of the house. The bearers of the bier applied for permission to pass through with their ghastly burden, but the occupants, an elderly lady and her daughter, refused. Never could they permit death to cross their threshold in such a form, etc. The bearers of the bier then went down stairs and sought the intervention of the commissary of police. That functionary came, and requested the mother and daughter obligingly to waive their superstition, and to give right of way for their room. But they were as firm in their refusal as before. The commissary knew of no law by which he could insist in such circumstances upon the violation of domicile: so he said to the professional funeral man:—"You must take the body out through the dormer window on the roof, and from thence to have it lowered to the street." The services of half a dozen firemen from a neighboring post were called in, pulleys were rigged, the coffin was securely fastened to the bier with ropes, and after some hours' work the body descended slowly to the street. A crowd of three or four thousand persons had collected to witness the operation. As the bier touched the sidewalk, the bearers appeared at the street door and took up their burden. A fireman swung aside the ropes; the throng parted to right and left; the men removed their hats; the women crossed themselves: and the journey to the cemetery began. No attempt was made at remonstrance with the recalcitrant tenants who would not yield a passage—it being considered that they had an unquestionable right to their opinion.—[Edward King's Paris Letter in Boston Journal.

A PREHENSILE TREE.

So many curiosities of plant life have of late years been brought into public notice that the report of the existence of a tree which picks up stones, bones, bits of wood, and other unconsidered trifles from the surface of the ground, retaining them, and suspending them in mid-air, hardly excites the incredulity nowadays with which such a statement would have been received a generation ago. Thirty years ago stories of plants whose flowers were furnished with the means of enclosing flies or even pieces of meat, as a spider seizes on its prey, and quickly surrounds it with a network of gauze, and which then actually proceeded to eat the prey thus secured almost as a spider would eat the fly—such stories, thirty years ago, would have been relegated to the category of "travellers' tales." But we have the authority of Mr. Darwin, and any one may easily have the evidence of his own eyes, to prove that the possession of such properties by certain flowers is no fiction, but an undoubted fact. The same authority who first brought prominently into notice the remarkable properties of the Drosera has also shown that other plants have actually the power of progression, within certain limits, from one point to another. With such instances it requires little effort to believe the correctness of the report above alluded to, that some plants are endowed with the faculty of picking up loose articles from the ground. Lieutenant Houghton, who recently visited New Guinea and several other islands and groups of islands in the Pacific, was the first, we believe, to report the existence of such a tree, though he did not explain the means by which it accomplished this unusual feat. It appears to be a species of Ficus, allied to the well-known banyan tree, which throws out from its branches air roots that eventually reach the ground, take root there, and in their turn become new stems which perform the same function, so that a single tree eventually extends so far in all directions as to form a complete forest, in which all the stems are united by the branches to each other. The prehensile tree in question similarly throws out from its branches long, flexible tendrils, which, touching the ground, do not take root there, but twine themselves round any article that may lie within reach. Eventually these quasi branches contract so that they fail to reach the ground; but the finger-like processes continue to closely grip the substance round which they have twined themselves, and which are consequently suspended in mid-air. In this way articles of considerable weight may be literally picked up from the ground by the tree, and so held in suspension.—[Colonies and India.

Petroleum is used for fuel on a railway in Russia and on the steamers of the Caspian sea.

Mr. Bennett's new steam yacht cost $200,000, but it should be remembered that there is no Mrs. Bennett, and consequently no spring bonnet to buy.—[Chicago Tribune.

"The street of the Hyacinth," Constance Fenimore Woolson's beautiful novelette begun in the May Century Magazine, is completed in the June number, and will not appear in any other form.

Thirty civil-service-reform associations have been formed in this country.

It is estimated that the cost of the Guiteau trial will be $50,000.

The Yosemite Valley is now in its glory. The vegetation is rank and the volume of water large.

The present value of the property of the Trinity Church corporation in New York is estimated at $50,000,000.

TO WATER TAKERS!

NOTICE

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Per order of the Trustees.
T. T. PITMAN,
Clerk.

The City of Newport.

NOTICE!

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WILLIAM G. STEVENS,
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May 16, 1882.

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Said mortgagee will sell at public auction, on the land and premises hereinafter described, on Tuesday, the 23d day of May, A. D. 1882, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title, and interest which said Lafayette Dean had at the time of the execution of said mortgage (together with the inchoate right of dower of his said wife) in and to that parcel of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereof in said city of Newport, bounded, easterly, on Farewell street, 112 feet; southerly, on the City Cemetery, 225 8-12 feet; westerly, on land of the Old Colony Railroad Company, 6 8-12 feet; and northerly, partly

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		4 45		
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		4 45		6 30
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Taunton, Mass.	7 00			6 30
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Block Island, R. I., Mon., Wednes. and Fri.			11 30	
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What comfort is it, for example, to that genial, and beneficent token of early spring, the "May bug," to learn that the last fortnight's drizzle has given the apetent roots of vegetation such a start that the crops this year will be more abundant than the memory of man can parallel? The gay little monster has been cheated out of a month of buzzing among the succulent herbs of May, and he has even lost his name, for he will now be a June bug, and any one who knows the sensitive nature of this useful contribution to the animal economy knows that there is a very trying disparity betwixt the delights of the May bug, and the June bug.

"A cold day," as everybody knows, is responsible for a good deal of the disjointed in the social phenomena, but the last fourteen days drew out more of this mysterious reserve of average human nature than a season of zero at its most depressed. Man, as if in sympathy with the aqueous atmosphere, or on the principle of like cures like, were faithful to the devotions whose altars are reared behind screens, baize doors, or by the blazing warmth of club fenders. Women circulated the cup that alternately cheers and exhilarates, while the small boy betook himself to the most primitive forms of infantile enjoyment, wondering why earth and air and parental ill-tempers seemed in such distant unison. The housewife is perhaps the most to be lamented, for, while it is unquestionably true that dryness was to be found in church, during the deluge, no one venturing out, and as a consequence the furnaces carefully cleaned during the first deceptive and "weather breeding" days of the month, and put away seems from summer dust were restored to place and will require "going over" again so soon as summer really flings out its torrid banners.

The min of the ten days of penitence and disgust was in every sense phenomenal. There seemed to be enough of it, yet it came down in a beggarly, aggravating drizzle during all the available hours of exercise and business, and during the night broke into copious torrents as though ashamed to come on in force during respectable working hours. Nor was the range of inclemency less curious. Most of the Northern states were favored with the persistent moisture, with about the same disagreeable degree of cold that sent our home folks to their furs and overcoats.

The most melancholy personages during these trying days were the young folks, who, having worn their winter raiment threadbare, were unable to assume the light fabrics suitable only to the genial temperature of the ordinary May. This explains the sudden epidemic which sent half the young people of the town to bed, for they refused to wear the shiny garments of winter and declined compromising the dazzling combinations upon which the sun must shine to give them due effect. Persons of a scientific turn of mind may study the sagacious comment of the weather bureaus with interest and advantage. These profound persons declare that there has not been a season since the sun stood on Gibeon and the moon rested in the vale of Ajalon, that the seasons have been so shamefully derelict. As to the number of inches of water fallen and the frightful velocity of the winds, it is more than an unscientific person would dream of doing to even repeat these discouraging statistics. But if the seekers of signs and readers of portents are to be trusted, the furnace drums may now be oiled and put away; the dining carpet replaced by mats, the "hypocrites" removed from the balusters, the seal skin done up in brown paper, and spring raiment, like the lily and the hollyhock, be thrown upon the garden wall to keep the sunflowers and primroses in countenance.—[Philadelphia Press.

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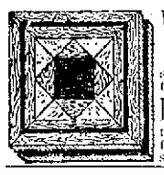

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FOR CONANICUT ISLAND.

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TIME TABLE.

On and after MONDAY, Oct. 3d, 1881, and until further notice, the steamer JAMESTOWN, Capt. Wm. G. Knowles, will run as follows:

Leave Jamestown—6.30, 8.15, 11.00 A. M., 2.00, 5.30 P. M.

Leave Newport—7.00, 10.00 A. M., 12.30, 3.30, 6.00 P. M., or on arrival of boat from Providence.

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Steamer Geo. W. Danielson, carrying U. S. mail, will leave Block Island every Monday and Friday at 8.30 A. M., for Providence, touching at Newport. On Wednesdays at same hour for Newport only. Will leave Providence for Block Island every Tuesday and Saturday at 9 A. M., touching at Newport at 1 o'clock; and Newport for the Island every Thursday at 1 o'clock. GEO. W. CONLEY, Master.

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On and after Monday, Oct. 3d, 1881, trains leave Newport for Boston 7.30 a. m., 3.00 p. m. RETURN, 8.15 a. m., 3.40, 4.45, 6.40 p. m. Coal Mines, Bristol Ferry, Tiverton and Fall River, 7.30, 7.45 a. m., 3.40 p. m. RETURN, Fall River, 10.15 a. m., 5.50, 6.15 p. m. Tiverton, 10.25 a. m., 5.40, 7.00 p. m. Bristol Ferry, 10.30 a. m., 5.45, 7.05 p. m. Coal Mines, 10.35 a. m., 5.50, 7.20 p. m. Taunton, (Dean street), 7.50 a. m., 3.00 p. m. RETURN, 9.31 a. m., 4.15, 5.42 p. m. Middleboro', (via Weir Junction), 7.30 a. m., 3.00 p. m. RETURN, (via Weir Junction), 9.00 a. m., 3.35 p. m.; (via Myricks), 5.30 p. m. Cape Cod, (via Weir Junction), 7.30 a. m., 3.00 p. m. Plymouth, 3.00 p. m. New Bedford, 7.30 a. m., 3.00 p. m. RETURN, 7.50 a. m., 3.35 p. m. Providence, 7.45 a. m., 3.00 p. m. Fitchburg, and stations on Northern Division, 7.30 a. m., 3.00 p. m. Lowell, 3.00 p. m. Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket, 7.30 a. m.

Trains are due at Newport 10.55 a. m., 6.10, 7.50 p. m.

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At 1.40 P. M., connecting with Shore Line Express for New London, New Haven and New York; also with trains for Hartford, Springfield, Albany and the West, and with train due in Providence at 3.45. Passengers arrive in New York at 7.21 P. M.

At 5.40 P. M., connecting with express leaving New York at 1 P. M., due at Providence at 6.50 and Boston at 8.00 P. M.

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